Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners

EDUCATION Committee Meeting

Teleconference

October 06, 2020 9:00 am

In connection with Governor Greg Abbott's March 13, 2020 proclamation of a state of disaster affecting all counties in Texas due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) and the Governor's March 16, 2020 suspension of certain provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, the April 24, 2020 meeting of the Texas Board of Physical Therapy Examiners will be held by telephonic conference call, as authorized under Texas Government Code section 551.125.

Members of the public will have access and a means to participate in this meeting, by two-way audio, by calling 888-788 0099 US Toll-free or 877 853 5247 US Toll-free, Meeting ID: 955 0419 8195, Passcode: 916643.

An electronic copy of the agenda is now available at https://www.ptot.texas.gov/page/meeting-dates. A recording of the meeting will be available after October 6, 2020. To obtain a recording, please email your request to info@ptot.texas.gov.

For public participants: After the meeting convenes, the Chair will do a roll call. Please identify yourself by name and state whether you would like to provide public comment. You may also email emailpt@ptot.texas.gov in advance of the meeting if you would like to provide public comment. When the Board reaches the public comment item, the Chair will recognize you by name and give you an opportunity to speak. All public comments will be limited to 3 minutes.

The Education Committee may discuss and/or take action on any of the following agenda items.

- A. Call to order
- B. Roll call for members
- C. Roll call for public participants
- D. Public comment
- E. Minutes from the January 16, 2020 meeting.
- F. The Texas Physical Therapy Association (TPTA) Continuing Competence Approval Program (CCAP) report including audit of courses approved under TPTA Accredited Provider Status (APS).
- G. Request to amend 22 TAC §341.3. concerning Qualifying Continuing Competence Activities by adding a category for voluntary charity care; updating the post-professional college or university courses transcript requirement; and updating the standards for residency/fellowship and mentorship of a resident/fellow.
- H. Proposing amend to 22 TAC §341.9. Retired Status; Performing Voluntary Charity Care. concerning renewal of a retired license and reinstatement to active status from retired.

- I. Request to add the Certified Wound Care Associate (CWCA) from the American Board of Wound Management (ABWM) to the list of pre-approved specialty examinations qualifying for continuing competence credit.
- J. Request(s) for appeal to re-take the National Physical Therapy Examination (NPTE).
- K. Requests for review of educational equivalency from foreign-educated applicants.
- L. Issues related to physical therapy entry-level education and continuing competence.
- M. Future meeting dates and agenda items.
- N. Adjournment

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